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BUSINESS IS NOW A-RUSHING

Hence Uncle Sam Will Keep all the Old Conscript Vessels on Hand.

CHICAGO TO ELECTIFY McKINLEY TO-NIGHT

Snow and Sleet Everywhere East of New Mexico--- A Great Blizzard Raging.

ANARCHISTS IN GERMANY--WESTERN SUCCESS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The effective strength of the U. S. navy has been increased by eight useful vessels which recently left the Spanish flag. Five of these are attached to Dewey's squadron; two accredited to the north Atlantic station, and the cruiser Infanta Maria is preparing to start for Norfolk to be made ready for active service. The Teresa will be armed with guns saved from the Colon and other Spanish ships, to replace those which may be ruined. She will be a trophy ship throughout.

OLD HULKS RETAINED.
It is expected that the decision of the secretary of the navy to retain all vessels purchased during the war will cause a boom in American shipbuilding. It comes just at a time when there is an unusual demand for ships flying the American flag on account of the expanding of the commerce of the United States in general, particularly on account of the decision of the administration to confine trade between American ports and Puerto Rico to American vessels.

Chicago Peace Jubilee.
CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—The National Peace Jubilee of Chicago was inaugurated last night with a thanks giving service at the auditorium. President McKinley attended. Applause for the President to the frantic cheering of the audience. Addresses were by Rabbi Hirsch, Rev. Dr. Hodgett, Rev. Dr. Barrows and Booker Washington. To-day the President is the guest of the University of Chicago which conferred on him the degree of LL. D. Mayor Harrison will lead 12,000 wheelmen through the streets of Chicago to-night. Every man will ride a decorated wheel. The path is to be through blaze of electric effects. Overhead will be festoons of brilliancy arched across the thoroughfares. From every building will flash a flood of electric light.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 17.—Jubilee enthusiasm was heightened today. Thousands of flags were hung to the breeze; jostling crowds filled all the streets near the business center. Gen. Miles came in early. The presidential party went to the University of Chicago, where the degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred on the president this afternoon.

A Great Blizzard.
DENVER, Colo., Oct. 17.—The weather bureau has received no reports whatever to-day from points east of the Missouri river. Denver is practically cut off from all communication by wire with the east owing to the severe storm of sleet and rain in Kansas and Nebraska. It is not known how far east the storm extends. The weather here is clear and cool and a storm is not expected. At midnight warmer weather was predicted where the rain and sleet are now falling heavily. The Western Union wires were affected more disastrously than by any storm in ten years.

But Not in Las Vegas.
KANSAS CITY, Oct. 17.—A blizzard prevails throughout the southwest and west to-day. A heavy wet snow has fallen since 2 o'clock this morning driven by a strong wind. Bad wires are reported in all directions and the storm has caused delay in railroad traffic. The snow followed twenty-four hours of steady rain.

Telegraphic Condensations.
LAKE PACID, N. Y., Oct. 17.—E. H. Henley, the actor died here to-day of tuberculosis.
PANA, Ill.—Fire is burning in the Pana Coal Company's shaft, started by an explosion of gas.
CONSTANTINOPLE.—The Imperial yacht with the emperor and empress of Germany on board arrived in the Dardanelles yesterday.

A Most Sad Affair.
OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 17.—Mrs. Hattie Steele, wife of Wm. F. Steele, committed suicide last night. The husband called to arrange final details for permanent separation. While discussing the future of the children, Mrs. Steele, in the presence of her husband and two little boys, placed a pistol to her head and fired.

Big Western Success.
OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 17.—A cash balance in bank exceeding \$300,000 now stands to the credit of the Trans-Mississippi exposition.
Going to Manila.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 17.—Eight hundred soldiers marched through the streets this morning to embark on the steamer Senator for Manila. They comprise the third battalion of the

emperor will be formally deposed November 23, the birthday of the empress dowager, and that Prince Jun, boy of 13, will be nominated his successor.

Insolent Insurgents.
MANILA, Oct. 17.—Insurgents at Lagundi have prevented the American steamer Hermosa from loading or unloading as there are Spanish soldiers on board. They also refused to allow an officer of the United States cruiser Raleigh to land without permission from Aguinaldo.

Disaster at Sea.
MARGATE, Eng., Oct. 17.—The British Blenheim from New York burned off this place early this morning. Eleven of the crew besides the captain's wife and children perished.

Letter from Manila.
From a letter written to his parents by Wm. W. Curtis, THE OPTIC has been permitted to take the following extracts: The portion of Manila occupied by our troops is in a good sanitary condition, but a vast part of the city is in a wretched sanitary condition. In many places a person walking through the streets has to hold his breath to avoid the terrible smells.

The Germans here are pretty well bluffed out by Admiral Dewey. All nations represented here admire his firmness, and the English fleet would just as soon fight for Dewey as for the English flag. Some time previous to the surrender of Manila, a German sailing vessel came into port with Australian mutton for the Spaniards. Admiral Dewey immediately sent the Concord to capture the ship as a prize. This made the German admiral indignant, and he ordered his fleet to clear ships for action. He had no sooner done this than our fleet stood in line of battle, quickly followed by the English and Japanese squadrons which formed with ours in line of battle. This enraged the Germans who hoisted the Spanish flag from the main mast of their flag ship. All the English ships raised the American flag from the masts of all their ships amid loud cheering.

Nothing worthy of mention is happening at present. A nice breeze is blowing from the sea. Our band is practicing. It is a wonderful band. It played, "A hot time in the old town," when our proud regiment went into the thickest of the fight without missing a note.
General Merritt complimented us on being the best regiment in the United States' service. Colonel Hale, our commanding officer, graduated from West Point with the highest honors ever attained. He was formerly attached to the U. S. engineer's corps, at Willett's Point, N. Y.

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NEW MEXICO DAY.

Territory Celebrates at Its Mining Exhibit.
Omaha World Herald.
New Mexico Territory day exercises were held at the exhibit in the Mines and Mining building at 11 yesterday morning. There were a number of distinguished citizens of the Territory and several hundred excursionists present. The railroad had made a rate of 1 cent per mile from all points in New Mexico to Omaha.

J. J. Leeson, the commissioner and general manager of the exhibit, presided. He had intended to have on hand a large supply of fruit to give away to the public, but was disappointed in being advised at the late hour that the fruit was delayed in shipment and would not be here until next week.

The apartments were crowded. It was lamented that Governor Otero, on account of sickness, could not be present. He, however, sent an address which was read, and short talks were made by ex-Governor L. Bradford Prince, Colonel J. G. Albright of Albuquerque and Colonel Gise of Las Vegas. Colonel Albright is the pioneer editor of that southwestern country, having founded and for twenty years been the editor of the Albuquerque Democrat.
The governor's address and the speeches of the others were laudatory of the exposition and its managers, expressed gratification at the splendid showing made under very discouraging circumstances by New Mexico and full of praise for Commissioner Leeson, to whom all the credit for the exhibit was unanimously attributed. Of course there was considerable, but not extravagant exploitation of the advantages of New Mexico as a place to live and grow rich.

Coal-Old Billy Martin opened the Pecos campaign in Socorro county on Saturday night, assisted by Tom Finkler, of Albuquerque, and Gov. Otero's district attorney, St. Alexander.

Hon. M. S. Otero, who was out of the city the past few days, returned last night, being met at the depot by Mariano Armijo, one of the principal movers of the Independents.—Albuquerque Citizen.

Marcelo Gallegos and M. Martinez, of Mora county, were in the city Thursday, in the interests of the councilman nominated by the county of Colfax to represent the district of Mora, Union and Colfax.—Springer Stockman.

There is a big fight brewing in the Republican ranks of Dona Ana county, and if the straight Democratic ticket isn't elected there will be reasonable ground to conclude that rottenness exists in that ballawick.

County Clerk Patricio Gonzales and Filadelfo Baca are at Puerto de Luna today in attendance upon the joint meeting of the Guadalupe county Democrats, Peoples' Party and Independent Republicans who will likely agree upon a Union party ticket.

Delegate H. B. Ferguson and O. A. Larrazola, the brilliant young Las Vegas attorney, are on a visit to Rio Arriba and Mora counties. Mr. Ferguson's dates in San Miguel, Guadalupe, Mora, Colfax and Union counties will be announced in a few days. He will probably be in the city on the 24th and at Springer on the 24th, going to Raton in the evening.

U. S. Revenue Collector A. L. Morrison was a passenger eastward this morning en-route to Ohio to take part in the congressional campaign. He will also visit Washington within a month, and will have some highly entertaining incidents to lay before the president in person.

Chairman Esley and Secretary Renahan are pushing work at Democratic

headquarters in Santa Fe, and yesterday said to an OPTIC man that the most unqualified reports of Democratic success were rolling in from every quarter of the Territory. Gen. Esley was met at Lamy last night, he being in return from a trip through the Rio Grande valley as far as Las Cruces. He said that public sentiment was everywhere crystallizing in support of Ferguson and he regarded the election of a Democratic legislature as more certain than in any campaign during the last ten years. "In every county," said he, "I am informed that Republican voters are falling over one another to break away from the vicious methods of their party bosses."

MARKETS.
Cattle and Sheep.
CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Cattle—Receipts 20,000 including 4,000 westerns, 10 cents lower; hogs \$4.00; sheep \$3.75; stockers and feeders \$3.10; calves \$3.00; heifers \$2.00; 1.70 westerns \$3.80; 4.50; Sheep—Receipts, 35,000; market, weak; 10 cents lower; natives, \$3.10; 10; western \$3.00; 1.50; 4.25; 6.35.

Chicago Grain.
CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Wheat—Oct., 65½; Dec., 63½.
Corn—Oct., 31; Dec., 31½.
Oats—Oct., 22½; Dec., 22½.

Metal Market.
NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Silver, 60; Lead, \$3.75.

NOTICE.
Parties coming to the postoffice must leave their dogs outside. This applies to all dogs, big or little, high grade or cur.

J. A. CARUTH, P. M.

J. B. Allen, the old time tailor whose rooms are on Grand avenue, next door to the Elk restaurant, as the sole representative of H. G. Trout, Lancaster, Ohio, offers exquisite tailoring to those desiring custom made clothing. Give him a call.

Wolverine Dairy.
HERMAN HUGENHOLTZ, Prop.
The milk from this dairy is purified by means of the Vermont Strainer and Aerator which will off the animal heat and color by a straining process and keeps the milk sweet five to eight hours longer than the ordinary method.

BUY A HOME—10 YEARS TIME
Chose four room residence with nice lot on Grand Avenue, also on Tilden and Eleventh Streets.
Storehouse and lot in business center; eight years' time.
Vacant lots sold on five years time.
See J. H. Teitelbaum, residence 105 Main Street, between Seventh and Eighth.

W. H. Seewald
has removed from old stand near the express office to Fountain Square, where he is prepared to do all kinds of repair work in the name that is known to all Las Vegas.

Spectacles and Eye Glasses Properly Fitted No charge for Examination of Eyes

Youman's Fall Hats
Now on Sale.
Soft Hats. Derby Hats. Caps.
Correct Styles.
See our Soft Hats at 75 cents.
Imported Derby Hats at \$2.00.
Boots and Shoes, Latest Styles at Lowest Prices.

THE SPORLEDER BOOT & SHOE CO.,
MASSON TEMPLE
Open Every Night Until 7 P. M. Saturdays 10 P. M.

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OF LAS VEGAS.
Capital Paid in — \$100,000
Surplus — 50,000
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FRANK SPRINGER, Vice-President.
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THE LAS VEGAS SAVINGS BANK.
Paid up capital, \$30,000.
Save your earnings by depositing them in the LAS VEGAS SAVINGS BANK where they will bring you an income. Every dollar saved is two dollars made. No deposits received of less than \$1. Interest paid on all deposits of \$5 and over.

Turkeys, Chickens and Ducks
at the
The Plaza Grocery.

Elk Restaurant.
Cundy & Payne, Proprietors.
Good home cooking. Everything the market affords served on the table.
A fresh line of candies and the best of cigars.

Woolen Underwear
Carefully Washed By Hand
J. Biehl
Undertaking, Embalming, Monuments.
MASONIC CEMETARY TRUSTEE

Las Vegas Steam Laundry.
YOU need not fear to send yours if you GUARANTEE not to shrink them.

Model Restaurant.
MRS. M. GOIN, Proprietress.
Good Cooking. The best of waiters employed. Everything the market affords on the table.
Board by the day or week.
Railroad Avenue, next to the Lewis.

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THE ONLY EXCLUSIVE SHOE STORE
In the City.
A large assortment of rents, ladies' misses', children's and youths' shoes, always on hand. Repairing neatly done. Sixth St., opposite San Miguel Bank East Las Vegas, N. M.

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Accounts received subject to check. Interest paid on time deposits.

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Wholesale Grocers
WOOL, HIDES & PELTS!
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Navajo Blankets.
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CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN CANNED GOODS

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East Las Vegas, N. N. and El Paso, Texas.

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J. M. JACOBS, Prop.
American or European Plan.
Las Vegas, N. M.
An excellent orchestra will play during Sunday dinner hours.

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WHOLESALE GROCERS
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WOOL DEALERS,
Las Vegas N. M.

Beautiful to the Eye! Useful and Ornamental to the Home
Is the Exquisite line of ART LINENS just received and placed on sale at the
PEOPLES' STORE.
The most insignificant thing about this line are the prices. Read and marvel how it can be done. Doilies, beautifully stamped and in an endless variety of designs, in squares of
6 in 1c 7 in 2c 8 in 3c 10 in 5c 12 in 5c 16 in 10c 18 in 10c 20 in 12 1-2c
9x3, 4 Doilies to a set for 15c.
Beautiful tinted Doilies, in artistic effects—need only outlining to be complete—in squares of 9 in, 7½ in, 12 in, 12½ in, 15 in, 20 in, 20½ in.
California Flower set, consisting of three pieces, viz: one tray, 18x8; two Doilies, 9x9—in colors true to nature—the price only 25c.
Our pure linen Doilies and trays 6x6 at 4c, 7x7 5c, 10x10 7½c, 12x12 10c, 16x16 20c, 28x28 25c, 34x34 35c.
We also have a full line of hemstitched goods, table covers, cushion tops in the very latest effects at prices in keeping with the foregoing. Heminway art silks at 4c per skein or 45c per dozen to work these with. Curtain rings, crochet rings for Battenberg braid art work, Battenberg braid in all sizes, crevel and embroidery needles—in fact everything pertaining to art needlework, at prices not only cheaper than elsewhere in town, but lower than prices quoted in the largest eastern city Department Stores. Space will not permit to enumerate prices on each of these items.
AGAIN IN STOCK.
Large ball of crochet or knitting silk at 3c.
Rhinodry silks on spools at 1c.
10 yards twist on spools at 1c.
Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, bearing your initial, as heretofore, at 5c.
Shepherd's Pride genuine German knitting yarn, best quality, per skein 25c.
A cheaper grade at 20c.
Saxony, black and white, only 5c per skein.
Imported Germantown yarn, the very best, per skein 15c.
Spanish yarn, finest made, per skein, 15c.
Ice wool, 8 balls to the box, for 15c.
What pretty neckwear for the men folks—and at prices—
White string ties, per doz, 30c.
For genuine bargains call at the Temple of Economy, where goods for little money are the rule, not the exception.
Peoples' Store.